



**Office of the City Clerk
BOARDS, COMMITTEES & COMMISSIONS**

**DOWNTOWN LINKS CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
(DLCAC)**

CREATED BY:

- Resolution 20171, adopted September 7, 2005
- Resolution 20828, adopted November 20, 2007
- Resolution 21360, adopted August 5, 2009
- Resolution 21612, adopted September 8, 2010
- * Resolution 21950, adopted September 11, 2012

MEMBERSHIP / QUALIFICATIONS:

Membership shall consist of fifteen (15) members who shall serve without compensation and are appointed as follows:

One (1) representative from each of the following organizations:

Armory Park Neighborhood Association
Barrio Anita Neighborhood Association
Dunbar/Spring Neighborhood Association
El Presidio Neighborhood Association
Iron Horse Neighborhood Association
Pie Allen Neighborhood Association
West University Neighborhood Association
Citizen Transportation Advisory Committee
Tucson-Pima Bicycle Advisory Committee
Tucson-Pima County Historical Commission
Fourth Avenue Merchant's Association
Old Pueblo Trolley, Inc.
Downtown Tucson Partnership (formerly known as Tucson Downtown Alliance)
Tucson/Pima Arts Council
Warehouse Arts Management Organization

The Mayor and Council shall appoint the members of the Committee. Each organization represented on the Committee may recommend appointments from their respective organizations for membership.

FUNCTIONS:

The Committee will function in an advisory capacity to the Mayor and Council and the Department of Transportation on the roadway alignments and design to connect the current Barraza-Aviation Parkway at the Broadway Traffic Interchange with Sixth Street and St. Mary's Road, and on lane configurations, bicycle and pedestrian amenities, and neighborhood connectivity along this alignment. There are four (4) phases of in the scope of work and coordination with other transportation projects, neighborhoods and businesses:

- Phase I: St. Mary's improvements from I-10 to Church Avenue will go to construction in early 2011 and will take less than one year to complete.
- Phase II: Eight Street Drainage improvements from Fourth Avenue to Sixth Avenue will go to construction in early 2011 in coordination with the Modern Streetcar maintenance facility.
- Phases III and IV: The Sixth Street Railroad Underpass and connection to Broadway will take 18-24 months to complete design. This effort will require further CAC involvement.

QUORUM:

A quorum shall consist of eight (8) members of the Committee.

*** TERMS OF OFFICE:**

Notwithstanding Tucson Code 10A-139(b)(1), the committee shall terminate on August 24, 2014.

APPLICABILITY OF TUCSON CODE CHAPTER 10A, ARTICLE XIII:

Exempt from TCC Chapter 10A-134(c). All provisions of TCC Chapter 10A, Article XIII are applicable.

OPEN PUBLIC MEETING LAW REQUIREMENTS:

This public body is defined as an advisory committee and must comply with all of the provisions of the Open Public Meeting Law. Minutes of Committee meetings shall be filed with the City Clerk.

SUPPORTING DEPARTMENT:

Department of Transportation 791-4371

Historical Notes:

1989 - Originally created as the Barraza-Aviation Citizen Advisory Committee (BAPAC) to advise the City of Tucson in its design of the downtown segment of the Barraza-Aviation Parkway. The BAPAC had challenges meeting quorum requirements, prompting the need to reform the committee.

September 7, 2005 – The Mayor and Council adopted Resolution No. 20171, sunsetting the BAPAC and creating the Downtown Links Citizen Advisory Committee (DLCAC). The DLCAC will automatically sunset on September 6, 2009.

November 20, 2007 – The Mayor and Council adopted Resolution No. 20828, allowing members to serve on other City Boards, Commissions, Committees, and Task Forces.

August 5, 2009 – The Mayor and Council adopted Resolution No. 21360, extending the term of the committee until August 24, 2010.

September 8, 2010 – The Mayor and Council adopted Resolution No. 21612, extending the term of the Committee until August 24, 2012.

*** September 11, 2012 – The Mayor and Council adopted Resolution No. 21950, extending the term of the Committee until August 24, 2014.**